



Division of Urban Parks – North Region

Department of Conservation and Recreation

JULY 2006 PROGRAMS

North Region Headquarters is located on 4 Woodland Road, Stoneham, MA 02180.
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All Programs are free and open to the public unless otherwise noted.

Fri.-Mon
June 30-Aug 28

OF SHIPS AND SAILING

10am – 4 pm

Ice from Spot Pond cooled folks as far away as South America. Displays about the vessels that carried the chilly cargo at Botume House Visitor Center, 4 Woodland Rd., in Stoneham. For additional information, call 781 662 5214

Saturday
July 1

BREAKHEART – FELS HIKING CLUB, 10am#

Join us for this moderate 2-hour hike as we get some exercise and explore the trails of Breakheart. Dress appropriately, wear sturdy footwear, and bring plenty of water. **Meeting Place:** *Vocational School off Farm St., Wakefield. # Please note new cool time for the summer.*

Saturday
July 8

MIDDLESEX FELS TRAIL DAY**, 9 am

Come be a part of keeping the Fells beautiful. Wear clothes that you won't mind getting dirty, and bring work gloves if you have them. We will supply those who don't. **Pre-registration required.** Call: 617-662-2340, or e-mail: friends@fells.org

Saturday
July 8

SNAKES!

10 – 11am

Cape Ann Vernal Pond Team brings their collection of 25 live reptiles to premiere the "It's Your Nature: Summer Program. Donations to CAVPT accepted in honor of your favorite snake. **Meeting Place:** Botume House Visitor Center, 4 Woodland Rd. Stoneham

Sunday
July 9

BREAKHEART – FELS HIKING CLUB, 10am#

Join us for this moderate 2-hour hike as we get some exercise and explore the trails of Breakheart. Dress appropriately, wear sturdy footwear, and bring plenty of water. **Meeting Place:** Visitor Center off Lynn Fells Pkwy., Saugus. *# Please note new cool time for the summer.*

Tues. & Thurs.
July 11 – Aug 24

IT'S YOUR NATURE

10 – 11:30AM

Featuring Hands On Activities, Tuesday's Nature Games will be geared toward children 5 years and older with Thursday's agenda planned for 8 years and older. Siblings young and old are welcome. Adult caregivers are required to remain with the children for the duration of the program. **Meeting Place:** Botume House Visitor Center, 4 Woodland Road in Stoneham.

coming events

Tuesdays
July 11 – Aug 29

MEET ME AT THE MOVIES Sundown
Bring a blanket and a picnic for weekly family fare on the outdoor big screen. Rain Cancels. Insect Repellent Recommended.
Meeting Place: Botume House, 4 Woodland Road in Stoneham.

Wednesdays
July 12 – Aug 30
9am
11am

2pm

DISCOVERY HOUR
Join a DCR Park Ranger for exciting nature activities each week
Greenwood Park: Pond St., Stoneham (opp. Stone Zoo)
Breakheart Reservation: picnic tables near the beach playground. Walk in from Vocational School entrance off Farm St., Wakefield.
Beaver Brook: in the vicinity of the spray pools
Children must be accompanied by an adult.
For more info call 617 727 1199 ext. 205

Tuesday
July 11

BABES IN THE WOODS, 10-11:30 am**
Stroll Bellevue Pond. Strolls can be done with a regular carriage or jogging stroller; kids in frontpacks, backpacks or walking. For more info or to receive a map of meeting places call Rob, 781 396 8994.. **Meeting Place:** Bellevue Pond Parking Area on South Border Road, Medford.

Wednesday
July 12

CONCERT IN THE GAZEBO, 7pm**
United States Navy Show Band
Bring a blanket and a picnic and the whole family.
For more information call 781 233-0834 www.saugus.org/FOBR

Saturday
July 15

BREAKHEART – FELS HIKING CLUB, 10am#
Join us for this moderate 2-hour hike as we get some exercise and explore the trails of Breakheart. Dress appropriately, wear sturdy footwear, and bring plenty of water. **Meeting Place:** Visitor Center off Lynn Fells Pkwy., Saugus. *# Please note new cool time for the summer.*

Tuesday
July 18

BABES IN THE WOODS, 10-11:30 am**
Hike Bellevue Pond. Birds and other wildlife are often seen, and animal tracks if there's mud. Bring snacks and dress for the weather. For more info please see July 11. **Meeting Place:** Bellevue Pond Parking Area on South Border Road, Medford

Saturday
July 22

MIDDLESEX FELS TRAIL DAY, 9am**
Come be a part of keeping the Fells beautiful. Wear clothes that you won't mind getting dirty, and bring work gloves if you have them. We will supply those who don't. **Pre-registration required.** Call: 617-662-2340, or e-mail: friends@fells.org

**Saturday
July 22**

HIKE WITH A VIEW*

10am-1pm

Mike Doucette takes us on a 5 mile loop around the Winchester Reservoirs: expect steep and rocky areas and exposed tree roots. Dress appropriately, wear sturdy footwear, and bring plenty of water. Rain cancels. **Meeting Place:** Sheepfold Parking Lot. For more info: 781/6622340, friends@fells.org or www.fells.org

**Sunday
July 23**

BREAKHEART - FELS HIKING CLUB, 10am#

Join us for this *difficult 3-hour* hike as we get some exercise and explore the trails of **Middlesex Fells**. Dress appropriately, wear sturdy footwear, and bring plenty of water. **Meeting Place:** Jerry Jingle Park, Lynn Fells Pkwy at the Melrose / Stoneham Line. *#Please note new cool summer time*

**Tuesday
July 25**

BABES IN THE WOODS,**

10-11:30 am

Stroll Bellevue Pond. We'll be out about 1 ½ hours. Rain cancels. No dogs please. For more info please see June 6. **Meeting Place:** Bellevue Pond Parking Area on South Border Road, Medford.

**Saturday
July 29**

CANOE BELLE ISLE MARSH,

2pm

Join Ranger Pete in exploring this ecologically important part of The Rumney Marsh Area of Critical Environmental Concern (ACEC). Participants must be at least 12 years old, able to swim, and have canoe experience, be able to swim and be at least 12 years old. **Pre-Registration required.** Call: 617-727-1199 ext.212

**Sunday
July 30**

CONCERT IN THE GAZEBO,**

6pm

Jumpin' Juba

Bring a blanket and a picnic and the whole family.

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*Co-Sponsored by the Friends of Breakheart Reservation

**Co-Sponsored by the Friends of the Middlesex Fells Reservation
